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entitled : *Topoisomerase Activated Oligonucleotide Adaptors and Uses Therefor*

Enclosed are:

(X) 1-28 pages of written description, claims.  
 (X) 3 sheets of drawings (Figures 1 - 3).  
 ( ) an assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 ( ) Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and cited art references.  
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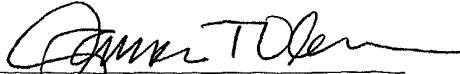
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